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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

	Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	
L.	GWALIOR ...	2733	500	M. de Horne ...	8th Dec.
—	VENETIA ...	2726	500	A. B. Daniell..	15th ,,
L.	LOMBARDY ...	2726	500	W. E. Breeze...	22nd ,,
—	MALWA ...	2959	500	G. W. Atkinson	29th ,,
					1883.
L.	BRINDISI ...	3542	550	R. B. Haselwood	5th Jan.
—	POONAH ...	3130	600	J. B. Chapman .	12th ,,
L.	SUTLEJ ...	4191	750	A. H. Johnson .	19th ,,
—	SURAT ...	3142	550	A. W. Adamson	26th ,,
L.	MIRZAPORE..	3887	600	C. G. Perrins,	2nd Feby.
—	HYDASPES ...	2984	500	G. Scrivener	9th ,,
L.	ROME ...	5013	350	G.F. Cates	16th ,,
—	KASHGAR ...	2621	450	R.G. Murray	23rd ,,
L.	THAMES ...	4101	700	W. D. Anderson	2nd Mar.
—	VENETIA ...	2726	500	A. B. Daniell	9th ,,
L.	GANGES ...	4196	750	W. B. Andrews	16th ,,
—	MALWA ...	2959	500	G. W. Atkinson	23rd ,,
L.	PEKIN ...	3900	600	A. Symons	30th ,,
—	POONAH ...	3130	600	J. B. Chapman	6th Apr.
L.	BOKHARA ...	2933	500	H. Weigheil	13th ,,
—	SURAT ...	3142	550	A. W. Adamson	20th ,,
L.	CATHAY ...	2983	500	W. M. Robbie	27th ,,
—	HYDASPES ...	2984	500	G. Scrivener	4th May.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 2 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, and MARSEILLES, by every Mail. The Steamers marked L proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others passengers change vessels at Suez.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under:

THREE MONTHS—From date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi, both ways.	Via Brindisi, one way.	Via London, both ways.
First Class ..	Rs. 950	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,000
Second Class..	Rs. 600	Rs. 650	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS—			
First Class ..	Rs. 1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class..	Rs. 650	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	1882.
THAMES	4101 750	W. D. Anderson	15th Dec.
INDUS	3462 600	S. D. Shailard....	29th ,,
			1883.
ROHILLA	3500 600	W. Barrat	12th Jan.

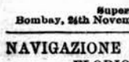
Return Tickets are now issued :— 1st Class. 2nd Class.

	Rs.	Rs.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	600	375
To Colombo and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Madras and back (available for two months)	210	105
To Calcutta and back ... do.	330	165
To Penang or Singapore and back (available for three months)	450	225
To Hongkong and back (available for three months)	630	300
To Shanghai or Yokohama and back (available for three months)	810	405

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Colombo.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 24th November, 1882.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S UNITED COMPANIES (UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)



THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 1st of each month, calling at LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and vice versa.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

To all Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class ..R 500	Including	I Class ..R 520	Including
II do..... 340	wines.	II do..... 350	wines.
III do..... 150	With food.	III do..... 155	With food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge.
Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered FREE OF CHARGE to the extent of [illegible] Hand-books. All extra Luggage will be charged at rates which can be ascertained from the Agents.

The following or other first Class Steamers will leave Bombay :—

MANILLA, on Friday	8th Dec.
RAFFAELE RUBATTINO on Monday	18th ,,
VICEROY	28th ,,

Passengers and heavy baggage are taken on board free of charge, by the Company's Launch, at Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, viâ Brindisi, 17 days.

From Genoa,	I Class	Calais Route,	R 95
,,	II do.	do.	70
From Naples,	I do.	do.	145
,,	II do.	do.	105
			Brighton ... 130
			do. ... 80
			do. ... 93

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c. apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.
Bombay, Nov. 20, 1882.

FRENCH LINE.

CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION.

Regular monthly steamers to Marseilles doing the run in 20 days.

THE new first-class steamer COLOMBO, 2,017 tons, 450 horse-power, will leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 24th December.

She has, in common with the other new steamers of this Company, splendid accommodation for passengers, being built specially with a view to their comfort, the cabins being roomy and containing two berths only. She carries Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500 including wines.	
Children under three years of age free of charge.	
,, over three and under eight ,,	charge.
,, ,, eight and under twelve ,,	

The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows :—

Via Calais and Dover (Mail).....	1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Dieppe	1st class ,, 5 18 1

The above steamer will be followed by the Canton or Comorin leaving 21st January.

Steamers of this line will leave Bombay regularly on the 21st of each month from January, and they will sail from Marseilles, on the 20th of each month.

For further particulars apply to

Messrs. RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.
Bombay, 21st Nov., 1882.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS. BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT MALTA.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

S.S.	Tons.	H. P.	To Sail.
WISTOW HALL	2,700	400	10th Dec.
RYDAL HALL	2,700	400	,,
SPEKE HALL	2,700	400	,,
LYDON HALL	4,100	500	,,

Special terms can be made for passengers leaving during June to November.

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

For plans, hand-books of information, and other particulars as to Passage apply to EDWARD BATES & Co., and KING, KING and Co.

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The shipment of packages from up-country by this line is also undertaken.

EDWARD BATES & Co.,
Agents.
83, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 23rd May, 1882.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYDS' S. N. Co.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY AND TRIESTE *VIA* CANAL.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE,

Steamers.	Captains.	Tons	HP	To sail
PANDORA (new)...G.	Sturli	3,800	550	8th Dec. 1882.
BERENICE (new)..P.	Crillovich ...	3,500	550	8th Jan.
HELIOS	A. Tercic	2,000	400	8th Feb.
MEDUSA (new)....	G. Ragusin	3,9 0	550	8th Mar.

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices as under :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
To Trieste	Rs. 400 ..	Rs. 280 ..	Rs. 140 0
To Cyprus (via Port Said)	375	266 ..	143 0
To Port Said..	320	255 ..	131 0
To Suez	300	240 ..	122 0
To Aden	170	130 ..	66 8

STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamers.	Captains.	Tons	HP.	To sail
HELIOS	A. Tercig	2,000	400	2nd Dec.
MEDUSA (new) ...	G. Ragusin	3,900	550	2nd Jan

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.
Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Oct. 10, 1882.

N. V. CURRANEE AND Co.,

INDIAN TRANSIT AND GENERAL SHIPPING, FORWARDING, CUSTOM HOUSE AND OVERLAND PARCEL AGENTS.

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Intend to despatch Steamers as follows :—

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S. GOA, 1,906 Tons, on 5th December, calling at Kurrachee, Aden, Suez, Port Said, Algiers and Lisbon.

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. MECCA, 1,450 Tons, on THURSDAY, 7th December, 1882, at 4 p. m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopaulpore and False Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. PACHUMBA, 867 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 6th December, 1882, at 4 p. m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 5th December, 1882. Agents.

CLAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE S. S. CLAN GRAHAM, 3,000 Tons gross, will SAIL for MARSEILLES on or about the 15th instant.

PASSAGE MONEY, TO MARSEILLES Rs. 400.
For further particulars a. ply to
FINLAY, MUIR & Co.,
Bombay, 1st December, 1882. Agents.

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FOR COCK-TAILS AND PICK-ME-UPS.

Per bottle Re. 1-12. Cash per doz. Rs. 20.

TREACHER & Co., LIMITED,
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NUTS TO CRACK.

BARCELONA NUTS ... ... } Cash 8 Annas per lb.
BRAZIL NUTS ... ... }
KENT COB NUTS... ... ...Re. 1 per lb,

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	Cash per doz.
BEST UNCOVERED, 2 inch.....	Rs. 3 0
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NNEL COVERED, Silk Sewn, Re- lation size.....	,, 8 0
EL COVERED, Catgut Sewn, ation size.....	,, 8 0

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THE best and cheapest article ever introduced ; will produce a splendid rain-like spray unequalled for watering flowers in bloom, or throw a continuous stream of water a distance of 40 feet.

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GUT CASTING LINES, single, double, and treble.
GUT TRACES, single and double.
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LINES, Plated Silk, Waterproof Silk, and Twisted silk and Hair.
PHANTOM MINNOWS and Artificial Fish.
REELS with secret checks.
RINGS and KEEPERS.
RODS, Fly, General, Salmon, and Trolling.
SHOT CUTTERS and Pliers.
SILK for binding and mounting.
SPOON BAITS.
SWIVELS, assorted.

Detailed Price Lists upon application.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
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"CHAPORE ESTATE." KANGRA VALLEY TEAS.

Sold in original packets of one pound.

Orange Pekoe ..... Re. 1 12 per lb.
Universal Family Mixture ..... ,, 1 4

THE above TEAS are of excellent quality, unadulterated and of agreeable aroma and taste, appreciated by all who use them. SUITABLE FOR PRESENTATION.

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Cures without causing pain every obstinate form of Corn when applied according to the directions.

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A VERY lasting, delicious Perfume for the Handkerchief, extracted from the best materials and choicest flowers.

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THE WOMAN OF THE PEOPLE,
THE WOMAN OF THE PEOPLE,
THE WOMAN OF THE PEOPLE,

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16	0	... Fine Old ...	...MARSALA... ... ... Sicily..	16	0
		The finest quality produced, softened by age, and mellow to the palate.			
30	0	... Fine Old ...	..MADEIRA... direct from the Island...	30	0
		Rich and full of body, the flavour and aroma being fully developed by the East Indian trip.			
33	0	... Superior Old ...	PORT ... Portugal...	33	0
		This, our well-known Invalid Wine is largely recommended by the Medical Profession, and is of a quality rarely met with in this country.			
26	0	... Fine Old ...	PORT ... Portugal...	26	0
		A wholesome nutritious Wine, thoroughly matured before bottling.			
18	0	... Fine ...	PORT ... Portugal...	18	0
		A rich fruity Wine of good flavour and character.			
		N. B.—Pints of the two first named Ports at an advance of Rs. 3 per case of 2 dozen.			
21	8	... Fine Old ...	...CARLOWITZ... Hungarian...	21	8
		This Wine has a decided taste and flavour of the grape, and is highly recommended by the Medical Profession for its medicinal properties.			
17	0	.. Fine...	...CARLOWITZ... Hungarian...	17	0
		Softness and mellowness are marked features of this Wine.			
		N.B.—Pints of Carlowitz at a small advance.			

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PROGRAMME.

TO-NIGHT.

1.	March.....	Höcher Peter.....Leibold.
2.	Symphony ..	Dominica Amor .....Ricci.
3.	Waltz	Oceana .....Cahnbley.
4.	Variations....	Flote .....Ekhart.
5.	Mazurka	Ein glückliches Paar....Hermann.
6.	Gavotte	Heimliche Liebe.....Resch.
7.	Overture.....	Dichter und Bauer.....Suppe.
8.	Waltz.....	An der schönen blauen Donau.....Strauss.
9.	Polka.....	Sphinx .....Gomez.
10.	Galop	In der Restauration .....Fahrbach.

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GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 29th November 1882.

NO. 4760.—Under the provisions of Section 7 of the Bombay Municipal Acts of 1872 and 1878, the RATE-PAYERS' GENERAL ELECTION of 32 members of the MUNICIPAL CORPORATION of the City of Bombay for a term of THREE YEARS commencing from 1st April 1883 is fixed by Government to take place on MONDAY, the 22nd January, 1883.

Under Section 9 B. of the same Acts His Excellency the Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following Rules for the conduct of elections of members of the Corporation of the City of Bombay.

RULE 1. For the purpose of the election of members of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Bombay, the said city is divided into the wards hereinafter specified, and each such ward shall be entitled to return the number of members herein assigned to it, that is to say :—

Ward No. 1 A	Fort	5 members.
Ward No. 2 B	Mandvi	6 members.
Ward No. 3 C	Bhuleshwar	7 members.
Ward No. 4 D	Girgaon	6 members.
Ward No. 5 E	Byculla	6 members.
Ward No. 6 F	Parel	1 member.
Ward No. 7 G	Mahim	1 member.

The boundaries of the several wards are as follows :—

1. A.—FORT WARD.

The whole of that portion of the Island south of a line starting from the Harbour along north wharf of Carnac Basin, and south side of Carnac Road, Esplanade Cross Road, First Marine Cross Lane to Back Bay.

2. B.—MANDVI WARD.

North.—From Harbour by south wharf of Clerk Basin, south side of Wari Bandar Road, Hancock Bridge, and east side of Mazagon Road to Babula Tank Road, thence by south side of Babula Tank Road to Bhendy Bazar, Parel Road.

South.—From Harbour by north wharf of Carnac Basin north side of Carnac Road, north side of Esplanade Cross Road as far as Sayad Abdool Rehman Street.

East.—By the Harbour from south wharf of Clerk Basin to north wharf of Carnac Basin.

West.—From Babula Tank Road by east side of Bhendy Bazar, Parel Road, and east side of Abdul Rehman Street to Esplanade Cross Road.

3. C.—BHULESHWAR WARD.

North.—From west side of Bhendy Bazar, Parel Road, by south side of Grant Road to west corner of Northbrook Garden.

South.—By north side of Esplanade Cross Road from Sayad Abdul Rehman Street, and north side of 1st Marine Lane to Back Bay.

East.—By west side of Bhendy Bazaar, Parel Road, Dady Street, Girgaon Back Road, Bhuleshwar Road, Thakurdwar Road to Back Bay, crossing Queen's Road to Back Bay.

4. D.—GIRGAON WARD.

North.—From north-west corner of Trimbak Parashram Street by south side of Grant Road to B. B. & C. I. Railway, and from B. B. & C. I. Railway Level Crossing on Clerk Road by north side of Clerk Road to south end of Hornby Vellard.

South.—By Back Bay from Malabar Point to a point opposite to Thakurdwar Road.

East.—By west side of B. B. & C. I. Railway from Clerk Road Level Crossing to Grant Road, and from Grant Road by west side of Trimbak Para-hram Street, Ard-sar Dady Street, Girgaon Back Road, Bhuleshwar Road, Thakurdwar Road to Back Bay.

West.—By sea from south end of Hornby Vellard to Malabar Point.

5. E.—BYCULLA W

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 4.

THE only feature of any importance in Reuter's telegrams of Saturday which we have not already noticed is the further rise in the value of Rupee Paper, ¼ in Fours-and-a-half, and ½ in Fours. This is only partially confirmed by private advices, but at the same time, there can be no doubt a decided improvement has taken place in the past few days. It is difficult to assign a distinct cause for it in the existing position of Silver, but in all probability the movement is partly the result of the reaction which generally follows a rapid fall, and in part due to an idea that Government may adopt some decided plan in connection with Council drafts, with a view to improving exchange. What they can do seems to us confined to two courses: either to go on selling their bills at the best obtainable rates, or to bring out a sterling loan to enable them to withhold their drawings altogether for a time. The latter course we cannot regard as at all probable, and, in the former case, we must admit that while exchange is at a low level already, there is still, if not a probability, at all events a considerable possibility of it going still lower.

The Bank of Bombay return for the week ending on Saturday shows the following changes :—

Public Deposits at Head Office	Dec.	Rs.	8,58,245
Do. do. at Branches	Dec.	,,	2,57,632
Other Deposits	Dec.	,,	15,60,759
Govt. and other authorized Securities..	Dec.	,,	98,931
Loans	Inc.	,,	3,119
Bills Discounted	Inc.	,,	2,31,749
Cash with Correspondents	Inc.	,,	27,441
Cash and Currency Notes	Inc.	,,	29,43,178

Out of this reduction in the cash balance only about 18 lakhs, it will be observed, is due to the increase in public demand, and as money is still plentiful in the open market, it may be that the directors will still refrain from making any change in their charges at the board meeting on Wednesday. At the same time, there can be no doubt that the general impression is that an advance will be made.

EXCHANGE to-day has been nominally steady, inasmuch as Saturday's rates have been maintained to all outward appearance, but very little has been done at the level, and it is even reported that some ready 3 months' Credits have been done on slightly better than quoted terms. We quote at the close :—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 7 9-16d.	per Rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 7¾d.	,,
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 7 11-16d.	,,
Credits, 3 months' sight	1s. 7 12-16d.	,,
France, 3 months' sight	2·02½	,,

On Calcutta the rate for demand has receded to ½ per cent. premium, 60 days' sight being still ¾ per cent. discount.

GOVERNMENT PAPER has ruled very firm, owing to the improved quotations from home, and we now quote Fours at Rs. 99 15-16 to Rs. 100, business having been done at the latter figure. Fours-and-a-half we call Rs. 106¼.

SHARES, as a rule, are quiet. Bank of Bombays still stand at Rs. 785. Agras have receded to Rs. 130. In Press Companies Berars are Rs. 2½ lower, New Indian higher by the same amount. Spinning and Weaving Mill shares are dull and our quotations mark a fall of Rs. 2½ in Oriental, Rs. 5 in Dhurrumsey, Jewraz Balloo, Khandeish, and Khutao Muckonjee, Rs. 10 in Alliance, and Rs. 25 in Central India. Bombay Saw Mills and Kurrachee Landing and Shipping are Rs. 5, Soundy and Company, Limited, Rs. 4, lower.

COTTON to-day has been very steady, although not very active. Broach for March has changed hands at Rs. 214; Good Omras, as also Good Jalgaum, at Rs. 185 for January, February, and March. Some 200 bales Old Ginned Dharwar about Good Fair has also been bought at Rs. 180.

SEEDS and WHEAT are nominally unaltered in value.

FREIGHTS cannot be quoted at any change, but the tone of the market is dull, especially for Liverpool, which we would not now quote better than 25s. per ton.

PIECE-GOODS show no alteration worthy of special notice. To induce marked activity, a reduction in values would have to be accepted, and to this neither first nor second sellers will for the time being submit.

COALS are steadier in tone, with less pressure to sell, and as time goes on, near arrivals continue to maintain their value.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates.
INDIAN BANKS.			Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	7p. ct.	785
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	5 do.	885
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	4 do.	675nl
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SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.					20
Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	600	1,000	500	90	1,425
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	500	350	..	350
Pareli S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	16	220xd.
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	100	100	Rs. 7½	136
New issue	..	100	70	..	100xd.
Alfred Manufacturing Company	1,000	500	500	22½p.s	545
AllianceCotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	..	Rs. 30	725
Bhowanggar Mills	4,800	100	100	..	40
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 45	990
BudneiraMTg.Co.,Ld.	1,000	..	500	..	445
Central India S. & W. Company	2,500	500	500	Rs. 30	6 25
Cooria Mills	800	50	1,000	Rs. 40	855
D. Spinning	3,000	2,000	all	ni	470
Empress S. & W. Co.	2,136	500	all	Rs. 60	1,150
Golam Baba S. Co.	1,000	500	400	20	550
Hindustan	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 80	1,150
Hydrabad Spinning Co.	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,050
Imperial Cotton Mills Company	900	500	250	..	235
Jaffer Ali Spin. Co.	600	500	500	..	500
Jowraz Bhalloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,075
Khandeish	750	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	925
Khatao Muckonjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	970
Leopold S., Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld.	3,500	100	100	..	121
Madras United	3,000	1,000	1,000	15p.s.	2,345
Mahalukshmi	650	1,000	500	Rs. 30	830
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	Rs. 60	1320
Mazagon Spinning Co.	5,000	250	250	12 p. s.	235
Moraiee Goculdas	1,050	1,000	1,000	Rs. 75	1,3 5
National Spinning	500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 35	835
New Great Eastern	1,400	1,000	1,000	40 p. s.	915
Oriental	4,000	625	625	Rs. 25	685
Prince of Wales Spinning Company.	1,500	500	50	35	270
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	3,500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,375xd
Sholapore Mills	500	1,000	1,000	60	1,360
Soonderdas	750	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	945
Southern Mills	500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	560
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	760
Western India S. & M. Company	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	920

*For distribution.

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock	..	£20	218-3-0	5 p. ct	325
Do. New £20 shares.	..	£20	130-14-6	do	26
Ditto	..	£20	65-7-3	do	72
Ditto	..	£20	21-13-1	do	23
B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000	do	1,010
Do. New £1 Shares.	..	£18	196-5-15	do	245

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	..	150	5,000	2,850 Rs. 50	1,000
Akola Press Co	..	35	500	all 15p.ct.	500
Albert Ginning Co.	..	100	500	all	460
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	..	200	2,000	1,100 Rs. 170	1,120
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	..	750	400	400	40
Bellasy	..	625	1,000	1 000 30 p.s.	625
Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co.	..	600	500	all Rs. 75	515
Broach Cotton Ginning and Press Co.	..	1,400	250	all	10
Colaba Press Co	..	1,500	1,880	50	1,180
Dhoolea P. Co.	..	500	1,000	all	360
East India Press Co	..	700	1,000	1,000	120
Fort Press Co	..	150	325	6,500 25 p.s.	2,5 5
French Press Co	..	300	500	all 75 p.s.	550
Sind Press Co	..	400	2,000	750 Rs. 75	505
Mofussil Co	..	3,125	400	400 Rs. 30	390
New India Press	..	2,400	125	125 Rs. 30	2 5
Prince of W. Press	..	500	..	500	470
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co	..	100	1,000	750 Rs. 80	1,330
Sassoon Press Co	..	300	00	500	25 500
Volkart's Press Co	..	450	00	63	65

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Saw Mills	..	10	1,000	1,000	Rs. 4 180
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited.	..	118B	100	100	Rs. 6 134
Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation. Do. New Shares	..	1,000	2,500 300	1,500 ...	225 2,750 600
Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association	..	5,000	100	10	10 p.ct. 10
Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Mining Co., Limited	..	42,000	..	5	.. 2½
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	..	1,400	100	100	.. 70
Kurrachee Landing and Shipping Co.	..	500	500	300	90 385
Kemp & Co., Ld.	..	2,000	200	100	.. 136
Mechanical Building Co.	..	4,000	50	50	3 p.ct. 15
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company.	..	5,000	200	50	5 p.ct. 50
Oriental Loan Association	..	5,000	20	20	10 p.ct. 20
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance	..	250	1,000	1,000	Rs. 100 1,200xd
Ripon Gold Min. Co. Ld	..	30,000	A 10	6	.. 3
Do. do.	..	1,000	B 100	100	.. 60
Soundy & Co., Ld.	..	1,000	100	all	14 p.ct. 112
Telephone Co., Ld.	..	19,300	25	25	.. 23
Treacher & Co., Ld.	..	2,000	500	all	Rs. 90 965
Thacker & Co., Ld.	..	1,000	100	all	1. 190
Wynaad Gold Mining Co. Ld.	..	20,000	25	20	... ..

BANK OF BOMBAY.

STATEMENT of the affairs of the Bank of Bombay issued on the 2nd December, as compared with the statement of 25th November :—

LIABILITIES.	Nov. 25. Rs.	Dec. 2. Rs.
Proprietors' Capital	1,00,00,000	1,00,00,000
Reserve Fund, invested in Govt. and other authorized Securities	23,75,000	23,75,000
Public Deposits at Head Office	44,67,285	36,09,039
Do. do. at Branches	25,31,321	22,76,689
Other Deposits	2,30,45,203	2,14,78,144
Post Bills	12,839	16,810
Cash Credits, undrawn	7,11,360	6,17,429
	4,31,46,008	4,03,73,411
ASSETS.		
Govt. & other authorized Securities	57,29,562	56,31,193
Cash Credits, on Security of Govt. Paper, Bullion, and Merchandize	13,42,718	13,18,448
Loans, on Security of do	33,98,401	34,01,523
Current Accounts, overdrawn	2,792	6,221
Bills Discounted	1,33,90,975	1,36,31,724
Stamps	3,093	3,075
Dead Stock Rs. 5,52,227		
Amt. applied in reduction 2,35,000	3,17,227	3,17,227
Bullion	33,500	61,000
Cash Balances, with Correspondents	15,79,048	16,06,489
Cash and Currency Notes	1,73,30,689	1,42,96,511
	4,31,46,008	4,03,73,411

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Bhownuggur, 108 tons, Nacoda, arrived in harbour yesterday from Bhownuggur, with a general cargo and 74 deck passengers.

THE steamer Red Sea, 2,165 tons, Captain C. Baker, which arrived in harbour on the 3rd instant from Jeddah (10th Nov). brought 920 deck passengers.

THE steamer Amoor, 1,288 tons, Captain C. H. Baker, which arrived in harbour on the 2nd inst. from Calcutta (15th Nov.) brought a general cargo.

THE steamer Australia 1,455 tons, Captain D. C. Campbell, sailed yesterday for Kurrachee, with a general cargo and M. J. S. Hampson, and one deck passenger.

THE steamer Inchulwa, 1,453 tons, Captain J. H. Harding, arrived in harbour yesterday from Liverpool (30th Oct.), with four deck passengers, and general cargo.

THE steamer Swardsman, 720 tons, Captain A. Balke, which arrived in harbour on the 3rd inst. from Zanzibar (18th Nov.) brought a general cargo and 11 deck passengers.

THE Clan Line steamer Clan Ranald, 1,331 tons, Captain F. B. Thomson, will sail to-day for Liverpool with a general cargo, and Mr. J. N. Bates, and Mr. John Foster, as passengers.

THE A. H. Lloyd Co.'s steamer Pandora, 2,149 tons, Captain J. Sturli, which arrived in harbour on the 3rd instant from China, &c. brought three deck passengers and a general cargo.

THE Clan Line steamer Clan Gordon, 1,354 tons, Captain Geo. Nelson, arrived in harbour yesterday from Zanzibar (20th Nov.), with a general cargo and Mr. J. Davidson, and 11 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Pachumbha, 545 tons, Captain T. Johnstone, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kattywar Coast and Kurrachee, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Major and Mrs. Biddulph, Col. Goodfellow, Col. Jameson, Mr. Jupe, and 187 deck.

THE P. and O. Co.'s steamer Gwalior, 1,628 tons, Captain M. de Horne, which arrived in harbour on the 3rd instant from China with the China mail, general cargo and the following passengers :—From Shanghai.—Mr. R. G. Ogle. From Hongkong. Mr. T. Esson. From Melbourne.—M. Macauliff, Mr. J. Goldbery, Messrs. T. P. Doacoliu and Conrier, and Mr. J. Minerhead. From Sydney.—Mr. J. Campbell. From Gelneiy.—Mr. A. S. Judge, Mr. Sevell, and Mr. Pilbekham. From Colombo.—Revd. Mr. Mrs. H. S. Dalmas and two children, Mr. J. Forest, Mr. Mahomed aily, and 13 deck.

DEPARTURE OF THE CHINA MAIL.

THE P. & O. Co.'s steamer Rome, 2,558 tons, Captain G. T. Cater, will sail to-day for China, &c. with China mail and cargo of 1,501 chests opium and general and the following passengers :—For Colombo.—Miss Barwise, Mr. Howell, Mr. D. Nusserwanjee, and Mr. J. Holujee and two servants. For Melbourne.—Miss Seymour, Mr. G. P. Cierk, Mr. Parry, Mr. Mayle, Mr. G. Whaffau, and Mr. J. Neil. For Sydney.—Mr. and Mrs. Busteed, Major Doveton, Mr. Tynan, Mr. J. Donaldson, Mr. Adams, Mr. P. E. H. Adams, and Mr. J. Cavanagh. For Adelaide.—Mr. Crankshaw. For Hongkong.—Mr. Brown. For Yokahama.—Mr. W. Chalk, Mr. and Mrs. Murray and servant.

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	From
4	Inchulva (s)	Harding	Cardiff, Oct. 3.
	Bhownugur (s)	Nacoda	Bhownugur.
	Pachumba (s)	Johnstone	Kurrachee, Dec. 1.
	Clan Gordon (s)	Nelson	Zanzibar, Nov. 20.
	Neriayathachi	Nacoda	Cochin, Nov. 21.

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	Destination.
4	MacMillan	Grey	Sandhead.
	Australia (s)	Campbell	Kurrachee.

The following vessels obtained their port clearance yesterday :—
Steamer Rome, Cates, to China, &c.
Steamer Clan Ranold, Thomson, to Liverpool.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Pandora, to Trieste, &c.
Steamer Mecca, to Coast and Calcutta.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.		
30	Maharaja (s)	McConnell ..Rangoon, Nov. 27.
	Tilwa (s)	Logan ..Colombo, Nov. 30.
	Pemba (s)	Guy ..Moulmein, Nov. 26.
	Artist	Sergent ..Liverpool, Aug. 1.
	Iskander Shah	Feud ..K. Island, Sept. 26.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.		
1	Booldana (s)	Bombay.
2	India (s)	Calcutta.
	D. Westminster(s)	London.

DEPARTURES.

Nov.		
1	D. of Argyll (s)	London.
	Shannon (s)	Calcutta.

DAILY EXPORTS.—DECEMBER 4.

FOR LIVERPOOL

Clan Ranald (s)—230 cwts wheat, Lalljee Poomsey and Co; 212½ cwts wheat, Dewjee Bhanjee.
Wistow Hall (s)—2,000 cwts wheat, F. Chrystal and Co; 215 cwts myrabolams, Cooverjee Nursey; 400 bales wool, Nurseo Khuttow.

FOR LONDON.

Wistow Hall (s)—10 cases indigo, Frank Godwin.

FOR ANTWERP.

Hampshire (s)—2,000 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co.
Knight of the Bath (s)—350 cwts gingellyseed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR GIBRALTAR.

Clan Graham (s)—21,000 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co; 6,000 cwts wheat, F. Masotti and Co.
Hampshire (s)—4,400 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co.

FOR ODESSA.

Pandora (s)—500 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Pandora (s)—100 bales cotton, Lyon and Co; 200 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co; 310 bales cotton, Thos. H. Moore and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Pandora (s)—3,000 cwts castorseed, Volkart Brothers; 985½ cwts castorseed, R. Lupi and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Manilla (s)—2,800½ cwts gingellyseed, Dewjee Bhanjee; 250 cwts coir yarn, Tyabjee and Co; 4,000 cwts wheat and 3,700 cwts gingellyseed, L. Singer and Co.
Cascapedia (s)—4,821 cwts mowrallowers and 3,182 cwts wheat, Frail Brothers.
Clan Graham (s)—2,991 cwts mowrallowar, F. Sauquet and Co; 2,800½ cwts gingellyseed, Dewjee Bhanjee; 11,200 cwts wheat, F. Aondoolo and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Plainmiller (s)—7 bales twist, Manorie Hurruckchund; 14½ cwts mirlavang, Khakeebhoy Nanjee; 255 cwts oopiates, M. M. Abdool Cadur; 3 cwts raisin, A. Rungeeldass.
Rome (s)—15 chests opium, Tarachund Luchmeanran; 10 chests opium, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 88 chests opium, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 10 chests opium N. J. Abraham; 13 chests opium, Cursetjee Bomanjee and Co.; 5 chests opium, Jawarmull Moolchund; 24 chests opium H. J. Abdool Khanuck; 3 chests opium, Ebram Hajee Haroon; 7 chests opium Tarachund Luchmeanran; 9 chests opium, Sawjiram Ramchunder; 13 chests opium Tarachund Ghunshamdass; 8 chests opium H. A. Kamail; 24 chests opium, Bumath Govindhundas; 6 chests opium, Hurry Dhurumsey; 6 bales cotton, Hajee Essac Ellias; 34 bales cotton, Abdools Noormahamed; 42 bales cotton, Janmahamed Noormahamed.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Rome (s)—463 chests opium, Guneshlall Shobagmull; 58 chests opium Ebram Nooplin and Co; 14 chests opium Currimbhoy Ebram; 2 chests opium S. Abraham; 14 chests opium S. E. Sasson; 24 chests opium, Cursetjee Bomanjee; 32 chests opium, David Sasson and Co; 26 chests opium, E. J. Abraham; 18 chests opium, Tarachund Ghunshamdass; 24 chests opium, Goolraj Thakersey; 9½ chests opium, Tarachund Luchmeranran; 6 chests opium, Tarachund Sitaram; 7 chests opium, Jowarmull Moolchund; 7 chests opium, Goolraj Jugnath 10½ chests opium, Roonath Jugunath; 7 chests opium, Cursetjee Bomanjee; 13½ chests opium, Dawutram Foolchund; 3 chests opium, Hurkison Ramdass.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 3rd December, 1882.

Means of observations taken half an hour after 6 a. m 10 a. m., 2 p. m., 4 p. m., and 10 p. m., Madras Time.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·880
Temperature of the Air	75·8
Wet Bulb Thermometer	69·3
Dew Point	67·1
Relative humidity of Air	747
Extent of cloudy sky the whole sky clouded=8).	0·6
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6½ p. m.)	81·4
Minimum do. do. read at 10½ a. m.)	68·0
General Direction of Wind	N. NNW, NW, NNW, N.
Movement of wind in 24 hours	202

From 12-30 a. m. to 12-30 a. m.

HIGH COURT.—DECEMBER 5.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

35-81—Smith and F.—Moolibai vs. J. H. Grant—Crawford and B.—Part heard.
542-80—Cleveland L. and N.—Kessowjee Jadowjee vs Vrijonjee Hurridas and others.—M. and B., and B. and B.
562-80—Cleveland L. and N.—Kessowjee Jadowjee and another vs Vussonjee Hurridass and others—M. and B., and B. and B.
350-81—M. M. Munshi—Othowjee Hurjeewan and another vs Lukhman Jetha and others—Crawford and B.
359-80—Pestonjee K.—Buchoobai and others vs Cooverbai and others—Shapurjee and T.
222 81—Tyabjee and D.—Balmookund Dolutram vs Chaitram Kaliram and others—In person.
474-81—Pestonjee K.—Vussuntram Bhicardass vs Lalla Mulraj and another—Khundoo M.
471-81—Balkrushna and B.—Samuldas Nursidass vs Tapidass Vurjidass and another—Shapurjee and T., and P. and W.
32-82—Tyabjee and D.—Moolchund Runsordass vs Chotalal Hurlochund—Smith and F.
547-80—Jefferson B. and D.—The Hon'ble John Marriott vs Anundrao Succaram and others—In person.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice WEST.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Short Cause.

294-82—Muljee and B.—Jamsetjee Pestonjee Jevanjee vs Rustomjee Merwanjee Boyce and others—Tobin and R.—Part heard.

Long Causes.

180-82—Tyabjee and D.—Ardeshir Eduljee Mistry vs Begalbai and others—In person—Part heard.
439-81—Vijpsey and W.—Javaravahoo vs L. A. Watkins and others—Tyabjee and D.
256-81—Janardhen and H. (for paupers)—Purshotum Morarjee and another vs Laivow.
In the matter of the Land Acquisition Act. X of 1870, and in the matter of Government and Hajee Hasum Hajee Abdoola Noor Mahomed and another claimants regarding the property known as Jackaria's bunder at Sewree—Payne and G., for 1st claimant.
491-81—Tyabjee and D.—Jeyshunker Mahadeo vs Mungleeram and another—R. Skipsey.
677-79—Tobin and R.—(for pauper)—Dayaram Ramdass vs Jeykissendass Purshotumdass—Pestonjee K.
26-82—Prescot and W.—A. Buchanan and others vs Ebrahim Lutiff.
228-82—Tyabjee and D.—Balla Dewchund vs Roopchund Oodeychund and another.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice SCOTT).

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Short Causes.

449-81—In person—Jafferjee Abdoolally vs Borah Kikabhoy Shaik Hoosein and others.

346-82—Shamrao P.—Annajee Ramchundra Kurgoopy vs Pandurirg Krishna Palkar and others.
376-82—In person—Ruttonjee Muncherjee Colah vs. Dorabjee Framjee Colah.
355-82—Payne and G.—Fuckoo Meya bin Ally Saheb vs Narayen Crustna Laud and others—Chalk and W. Settled.
388-82—Hore, C. and B.—Shookar Abraham and others vs Gunshamdass Nursingdass and others.
392-82—Hore, C. and B.—Bechra Rajing and others vs Ashabai.
396-82—Craigie L. and O.—R. Ryrie and others vs Narrondass Famundas—Muljee and B.
397-82—Paye and G.—Rampartab Samrutroy vs Ramgopal Ramrutton and another.
398-82—Cleveland L. and M.—C. Zerrenner vs S. Greenblott and another.

Long Causes.

336-81—Tyabjee and D.—Jumnadass Pitamberdass vs Thacker Goculdass Karamsey—Hore C. and B.
365-82—Ardesir and H.—Motilal Hurgowandass vs Kessebai and another—Khunderao M.
366-82—Payne and G.—Noolice Dayal vs Lilladhur Kesowjee—Janardhen and H.
368-82—Khunderao M.—Manockchund Tulsidass vs Mohunlal Becherdass and others—H. Bicknell.
369-82—Crawford and B.—Fatmabai vs Hajee Tyeb Hajee Rahimtoola and others—Macfarlane and E., and Tyabjee and D.
370-82—Muljee and B.—Jeevavow vs Vussonjee Jewrajee Shapurjee and T.
373-82—Macfarlane and E.—Goculdass Dewjee vs Hormusjee Nusserwanjee Tariwala and another—J. C. Cama.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—DECEMBER 2.

Faulkner, Surg., on leave, from Malegaum.

DECEMBER 3.

Bell, Major, R. E., on duty, from Simla.
Swire, Lieut., 14th Bombay N. I., on duty, from Poona.
Jacob, Major, Staff, on duty, from Banda.
Colomb, Lieut., 25th Bombay N. L. I., on duty, from Bhooj.

DEPARTURES.—DECEMBER 2.

Minter, Lieut., R. A., on leave, to Poona.
Monteath, Lieut., 1st Bombay Lancers, from leave, to Neemuch.

DECEMBER 4.

Doverton, Major, R. E., on leave, to Asutralia.
French, Major, Staff Corps, to join, to Ahmedabad.
Thomas, Major, Asst. Adjt. Genl. for Musketry, on duty, to Malligaum.
Bell, Major, R. E., on duty, to Poona.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. Comdt. W. S. HEWETT, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, December 4.

There will be Company Drill for E. Company at the Oval near the Bandstand on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6-30 a. m. (Bombay time), and at the J. J. Hospital on Tuesdays and Fridays at 5. p. m. (Bombay time) until further orders. Members of other companies are requested to attend at the above places for Company Drill.

"C." Company will parade for Position Drill at the Oval near the Bandstand everyday until further orders at 6-30 a. m. and 5. p. m. (Bombay time).

"B." Company will commence class firing on Thursday next, the 7th inst. All members going to class firing are at the Bori Bunder Station at 5-20 a. m. and at Buculla Station at 5-30 a. m. (Bombay time) will have their fares paid to Coorla and back; those coming after will have to pay their own fare. Members of E. Company who have not completed their class firing are requested to do so with "B." Company.

The following members having joined are taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to "E." Company :—Vols. L. Cabral, E. Waldegrave and J. A. Cordeiro.

Capt. F.M. Brebner, Sind Vol. Rifle Corps, having been transferred to the Supernumerary List and attached to the Bombay Volunteer Rifle Corps, will do duty with A. Company taking command of it, until further orders.

The Regiment will parade under the Adjutant on Saturday next, the 9th inst. Fall in at the Town Hall at 4-15 p.m. sharp (Bombay time). Red uniform with helmets, arms and accoutrements to be worn. Members who are at the train terminus at Byculla, Grant-road, Girgaum and Colaba at 3-45 p. m. (Bombay time) will have their fares paid; also those members who are met on the road will be supplied with tickets. Members who defray their own tram expenses can have the amount refunded by applying for the same after parade. Company and Bttalion Drill will be practised. In Company Drill, Sections 9 to 18 of Part II of the Field Exercise will be practised; and in Battalion Exercise, Part III Sections 4 to 8. All members are requested to read up these Sections before coming on parade.

By order,
A. W. PROUDFOOT,
Capt. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Adjt.-Genl.'s Office, Simla, 27th Nov.

It is notified for general information, that copies of the Urdu and Hindi translations of the Infantry Field Exercises are now available, and can be obtained from the Sepdt. Govt. Press at Allahabad on peyment, at the following rates per copy, exclusive of postage :—Urdu, Re. 1-15; Hindi, Re. 1.

The C.-in-C. in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

14th N. I.—Lieut. D. J. T. O'Brien, Manchester Regt., a candidate for the Bl. S. C., to be Offg. Wing Officer on probation. Dated 20th Nov.
17th N. I.—Col. G. J. Paslea, Comdt. late 34th N. I., to be Comdt., vice Walker, retired. Dated 23rd Nov.
20th N. I.—Lieut. W. C. Loudon, 2nd Bn. West Yorkshire Regt., to be Lieut. and Adjt., vice Hickman, promoted. Dated 1st Nov.

With the sanction of Govt. H. E. the C.-in-C. is pleased to appoint Major C. L. Prendergast, General List Infty., to officiate as Dy. Judge Advocate, Peshawar and Rawal Pindi Circle, vice Col. J. M. Stewart, on leave, dated 13th Nov.

Major A. Hill, R. E., whose tour of Indian service has expired, will proceed to England reporting himself on arrival to the Dy. Adjt. Genl., R. E., Horse Guards.

The undermentioned candidates passed the lower standard in Persian on the 6th Nov. :—

Capt. S. H. F. Graves, S. C., Wing Officer 29th N. I.; Lieut. W. W. Hickman, Worcestshire Regt. on probn. 1st N. I.; Lieut. C. M. Lester, 2nd Bn. West Yorkshire Regt.; Lieut. R. E. S. Taylor, S. C., Wing Officer 38th N. I.

The undermentioned Native officer and British and native non-commissioned officers and men have passed the qualifying examination on completion of courses of instruction in Army Signalling, held at Umballa and Roorkee, and have received certificates as follows :—Jemadar Sheetshire Regt. on probn. 1st N. I.; Lieut. C. M. Lester, 2nd Bn. West Yorkshire Regt.; Lieut. R. E. S. Taylor, S. C., Wing Officer 38th N. I.

Asst. Instrs.—9th Lancers.—Lance Corpl. D. Presgrave, Privates J. Dicken, A. Cornforth, and H. Smith, dated 31st Oct. Royal Engineers.—Sergt. Geo. Grey, Corporals Wm. Walter, and Saml. Cocksedge; 2nd Corporals J. A. McDonald, T. McManus, and T. Lynn, dated 4th Nov. 11th Bl. Lancers.—Kote Dunfadar Ahmed Khan and Duffadar Jellaloodin, dated 31st Oct.

BENGAL GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Calcutta Gazette*, November 29.)

Mr. R. R. Pope, Asst. Magte. and Collr., Gya, is transferred to Rungpore, and is appointed to have charge of the Nilphamari Division of that dist.

Mr. H. Cox, Asst. Magte. and Collr., Nilphamari, Rungpore, is transferred to Monghyr, and is appointed to have charge of the Begooserai Division of that dist.

The following officers are placed on special duty for the purpose of reporting on the existing chowkidary system :—

Mr. J. Monro, Offg. Commr., Presidency Div.
Mr. C. F. Worsley, Magte. and Collr., Mozufferpore.
Mr. E. V. Westmacott, Magte. and Collr., Dacca.
Mr. T. Norman, Magte. and Collr., Rungpore, is appointed to act as Magte. and Collr., of Mozufferpore, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. C. F. Worsley.
Mr. H. J. Newbery, Magte. and Collr. Backergunge, is appointed to act as Magte. and Collr. of Rungpore, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. T. Norman.
Mr. A. W. Paul, Joint-Magte. and Depy. Collr., is appointed to act as Magte. and Collr. of Dacca, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. E. V. Westmacott.
Mr. W. R. Bright, Asst. Magte. and Collr. 24 Pergunnahs, on leave, is transferred to Mozufferpore and is appointed to have charge of the Seetamurhee division of that dist., during the absence on deputation, of Mr. D. J. Macpherson.
Mr. C. E. Buckland, Offg. junior Secy. to the Board of Revenue, is appointed to act as Magte. and Depy. Collr. of Howrah, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. H. Grimley
Mr. J. Scobell Armstrong is appointed to act until further orders as Magte. and Collr. of Chumparun, on being relieved of his present appointment as Offg. Magte. and Depy. Collr. of Howrah.
Mr. R. H. Kenny, Joint-Magte. and Depy. Collr., is posted to Chumparun, on being relieved of his present appointment as Offg. Magte. and Collr. of that district.
The Lieut.-Govr. accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. H. R. Irvine of his commission as Lieut. in the Northern Bengal Volunteer Rifle Corps.
Mr. E. N. Baker, Asst. Magte. and Collr., 24 Pergunnahs, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Joint-Magtes. and Depy. Collrs. from the 22nd Oct.
Mr. J. Whitmore, Joint-Magte. and Depy. Collr. Burdwan, is appointed to act as Dist. and Sessions Judge of Nuddea, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. P. D. Dickens.
The services of Mr. R. Carstairs, Offg. Joint-Magte. and Depy. Collr., Serampore, Hooghly, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Board of Revenue for employment on special duty.
Mr. F. L. Collier, Asst. Magte. and Collr. on leave, is appointed to act, in the first grade of Joint-Magtes. and Depy. Collrs., and is placed in charge of the Serampore division of the Hooghly dist. during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. R. Carstairs.
Mr. C. A. Samuells, Joint-Magte. and Depy. Collr., is appointed to act until further orders in the first grade of Joint-Magtes. and Depy. Collrs. in the dist. of Bankoora.
Mr. C. R. Marindin, Offg. Joint-Magte. and Depy. Collr., Darjeeling, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Monghyr dist.

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

ELECTIONEERING INTELLIGENCE.

LONDON, DEC. 4.

The Hon'ble Algernon Egerton, Conservative candidate, has been elected by a large majority member of Parliament for Wigan, defeating Mr. Walter Wren (Liberal).

MR. ANTHONY TROLLOPE.

Mr. Anthony Trollope has had a relapse.

THE CONDITION OF MR. FAWCETT.

Mr. Fawcett's illness has developed into typhoid fever.

DISMISSAL OF OFFICIALS AT GIBRALTAR.

The Colonial Secretary (Major-General R. S. Baynes) and the Chief Police Inspector at Gibraltar have been dismissed from their posts for surrendering three political refugees from Cuba to the Spanish authorities last month.

ARABI PASHA.

The Court-martial on Arabi Pasha was of a formal character. Arabi pleaded guilty to the charge of rebellion. He is to be exiled outside Egypt, and will be executed should he ever return to his country. It is believed that he will reside in British territory.

THE NEW TURKISH MINISTRY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, DEC. 3.

Osman Pasha and Said Pasha have been reinstated. Aarifi Pasha has been appointed Minister for Foreign Affairs, instead of Safvet Pasha, as at first announced. The cause of the change is unknown.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

PORT SAID, DEC. 4.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Manora, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here on the afternoon of the 3rd inst.

SUEZ, DEC. 3.

The s. s. Canton, of the Cie. Nationale de Navigation, which left Bombay at noon on the 21st ult., arrived at noon to-day.

COLOMBO, DEC. 4.

French mail-steamer Djemnah, from Suez, arrived last evening.

H. M. S. Audacious sailed for China last evening.

LONDON, DEC. 2.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed quiet. Surats unchanged.

Fair Dholleras	4
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight	1 7 7-16
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	81⅜
4½ per cent. do.	86½
3 per cent. Consols for account	101⅛
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	100 xd.
5 per cent. French Rentes	114f
Bar Silver	50d

TELEGRAPH LINE REPORT.

(DECEMBER 4.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

THE annual meeting of the members of the Bombay Branch of the East India Association was held yesterday evening at the Framjee Cowasjee Institute. Mr. Dadabhoy Nowrojee was called to the chair. The chairman, in the course of a few remarks, said they could not be too thankful for the active measures which His Excellency the Viceroy was taking to promote the welfare of India. The earnestness with which the committee of the Association was now working was very promising. Resolutions were then passed adopting the annual report of the working of the Association, and appointing an influential managing committee for the next year, with Sir Munguldas Nuthoobhoy Knight, C. S. I., as President. The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chairman, which was cordially carried. We hold over a detailed report.

THE Bombay public generally will be glad to hear that H. E. the Governor's Band will play at the Esplanade bandstand every Thursday, and at the Victoria Gardens every Saturday, until further orders.

THE Hon. L. R. Ashburner is to be entertained on Wednesday evening by the Gayan Utejak Mandali—Society for the Improvement of Native Music.

A CORRESPONDENT writes from Nasick that the locusts have all disappeared, and owing to the recent rain there is still a chance of fair rabi crops from the second sowing. Still, the destruction of the first sowing is a great loss to the cultivators.

MR. SINNETT, editor of the *Pioneer*, author of "The Occult World," and Vice-president of the Theosophists' Society, is expected to attend the annual meeting of the Society in Bombay, and, we are informed, will make a statement of his views on Theosophy.

IN furtherance of the aims of the National Indian Association, Mrs. H. B. Grigg, wife of the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, has taken to holding receptions which are attended by many native ladies. A local paper remarks:—The object of such gatherings is to promote social intercourse between European and native ladies, and we are glad to find that invitations to such meetings are better responded to than when first started by the ladies of the National Indian Association.

NATIVE marriage reform has still great steps in advance to make. The Mahomedan paper, *Kosid-i-Moombai*, states that a Borah inhabitant of Kapadvanj, who is 80 years of age, has paid Rs. 30,000 for the hand of a girl 11 years old. The marriage is to take place shortly.

IT has been ruled by the Postal authorities that in future no insured article, the value of which is declared by the sender to be over Rs. 500, shall be delivered to the addressee through the postman. All such articles will be retained in the Post-office, where they must be taken delivery of by the addressees personally. This rule has been made to protect the Department from loss by dishonesty on the part of its employés. A short time ago a postman in Calcutta ran away with registered letters containing Rs. 12,000.

A TELEGRAM from Nellore, 30th Nov., to the *Madras Mail* states:—The Pennair has already reached the highest known flood, and is still rising. The residents in the vicinity are removing. Several large tanks on the Madras roads have breached. Traffic by telegraph and postal communication with Madras are interrupted, and great uneasiness prevails. The *Mail* adds that the cyclone broke on the coast about 100 mails north of Madras. The Chembrambaukum tank near Madras has overflowed its banks, and the Adyar and Cooum rivers on the 1st inst. were in heavy flood, immense quantities of water thus escaping to the sea.

ON the subject of our relations with Upper Burmah, the *Englishman* writes that they "have now in reality reached that stage which diplomacy knows as a 'crisis.' They have been slowly drifting towards this position for a long time; but they cannot remain where they now are. His Excellency the Viceroy, when in Burmah, gave some very plain hints to the Court of Mandalay as to the way in which the Anglo-Burmese difficulties might ultimately be solved. . . Replying to the address of the merchants of Rangoon, His Excellency said:—'I should like the Mandalay Government to understand clearly that there is nothing so serious to us as anything affecting our trade; that is our principal interest there, and a concession on this point is the first, perhaps at present the only, proof they can give us of their desire to live on friendly terms again, to the merchants of Maulmain,' the Viceroy said, in allusion to the treaty with Upper Burma:—'I have no doubt that the existence of monopolies imposed by the King of Ava is inconsistent with the spirit and intention of the treaty. It might be open to argument whether the imposition of these monopolies would justify the Government of India in abandoning the treaty, but for my own part I am not at present inclined to take the step of denouncing the treaty, whatever may ultimately be necessary under circumstances which, I hope and trust, may be amended before long.' So far from circumstances having amended under the means hitherto adopted, they may be said rather to have grown, since December, a good deal worse. The remonstrance sent to Upper Burma subsequently to the utterance of these words produced no other result than the visit of a picturesquely accoutred ambassador to enliven the society of Simla; and the barren conclusion of that visit has left affairs so far worse that now all ordinary attempts at conciliation have been tried and failed."

REUTER telegraphed some days since that Mr. Anthony Trollope, the novelist, was seriously ill, and to-day the same authority informs us that Mr. Trollope has had a relapse. We see from the last home papers that Mr. Trollope was taken ill on Nov. 3, while dining at the house of his brother-in-law, Sir John Tilley. Mr. Trollope has for some time suffered from a tendency to determination of blood to the head, and his seizure was of the nature of a fit. On Nov. 5 it was considered advisable to call in four medical men for consultation. On Nov. 8, however, it was announced that Mr. Trollope had passed a quiet night, and was a little better. With perfect rest and quietness, it was hoped that he would soon recover.

THE Berlin correspondent of the *Evening News* says that there is at present an agrarian rebellion in progress in the Baltic provinces, where the Finnish and Lettish peasants have been lashed by Russian officials into a crusade against the German proprietors, and the subject is naturally attracting serious attention here, both on the part of the authorities and of the press. It is a fact that arson and murderous attacks are matters of every-day occurrence thoughout Courland, Livonia, and Esthonia.

AN American doctor has found aconite a useful remedy for dysentery. The *New York Medical Journal* says:—Dr. Owen reports the results of 151 cases of acute dysentery treated with aconite. He was induced to look about for another treatment than the conventional one with ipecac, on account of the nausea which often attends the latter, and which often drives hospital patients especially to rebel against a repetition of the dose. Dr. Owen gave the tincture of the British pharmacopœa, which is of one-sixth the strength of Fleming's tincture. He gave one minim every fifteen minutes for the first two hours; after that one minim every hour. This would make thirty minims in twenty-four hours. Dr. Owen feels that his experience in 151 cases justifies him in speaking quite positively in favour of the treatment. In his paper he gives a very good analysis of his results.

IN the Admiralty Court at Shanghai, on the 31st October, judgment was delivered in a case that had long been pending regarding a serious collision on the 27th August last near Shanghai between the P. and O. steamer Pekin and a ship called the Hattie E. Tapley. The Court found that the Pekin was "solely and entirely" to blame, and awarded damages to the other vessel.

A SERIOUS military riot lately occurred at Wu Chang, northern China, through a Civil Mandarin ordering a military officer to receive stripes in his hand. The soldiers, angered at this treatment of one of their officers, waylaid the obnoxious mandarin, and inflicted such injuries on him that he was glad to get off with his life. Four of the rioters were given up by the military authorities to be dealt with by the civil power; but the soldiers rose *en masse*, released their comrades, and threatened the entire place with pillage.

VOLUNTEERING in Hongkong does not appear to be a success, as the following Government Notification in relation to the disbanding of the Hongkong Volunteers appears in the *Gazette* of the 28th October:—Whereas by ordinance 2 of 1862 it is enacted among other things that such and so many of the inhabitants of Hongkong as shall volunteer and offer themselves, and the Governor shall approve of, shall be permitted to form themselves into a Corps for the protection of the Colony of Hongkong, and such Corps shall be called the "Hongkong Volunteers," and shall continue and be formed during the pleasure of the Governor; And whereas it is deemed expedient that the Corps, which was formed in the year 1878, in virtue of the ordinance above referred to, should be disbanded; it is hereby notified that the Officer Administering the Government has declared his pleasure to be that the said Corps should no longer continue so formed.

THE march of civilization, new style, makes slow progress in China. A Shanghai paper received by the last China mail says:—The prospects of the telegraph line between Kowloon and Canton are as gloomy as ever. The people in the districts through which it passes believe that evils of every description will fall upon them if the scheme is allowed to go on, and the result is that it is at a stand-still, with little prospect of being again renewed, for the present at least.

MUCH energy is being displayed in Australia, the *Melbourne Argus* says, by persons interested in promoting the use of the electric light. The Australian Electric Company, which supplies the Swan incandescent lamp and Brush are light, is taking active steps to extend the system, and purpose asking the public to subscribe more capital. The Opera-house, Eastern Market, and many other large buildings are already, or are to be, lighted with their lamps. The City Corporation is practically testing electric lighting for the purposes of street illumination, two lamps, each of 3,000 candle-power, having been placed in the centre of Bourke-street. Great interest has also been displayed by the public in the Edison system, which is being exhibited in operation in a large furnishing establishment in Collins-street. The Café Gunsler was lighted with 50 Edison burners on Nov. 6, when a dinner was given by Major T. Flood Page, the general manager of the Edison Indian and Colonial Electric Company.

THE *Scientific American* reports that at the Jefferson College Hospital, Philadelphia, on September 29, Dr. H. L. Little transplanted a portion of the conjunctiva of a rabbit's eye to that of a young Irishman, whose eye had been badly burned by sulphuric acid. Dr. Little removed the eyelid from its firm adhesion to the ball, and made it ready for the new piece of membrane, which Dr. L. W. Fox, assisted by Dr. Hewson, had carefully dissected from the left eye of the unconscious rabbit, and the part was rapidly transferred to the under surface of the man's eyelid and neatly stitched to its place. Another operation was to be performed that would, it was thought, restore sight to the injured eye.

BY order of the Education Department the school books in French Government schools are to be printed in larger type, on account of the recent great increase of shortsightedness.

SIR GARNET WOLSELEY received, at the Adjt.-General's Office in Pall-mall, on the 8th November, a representative deputation from the Armenian colony in England, who waited upon him in order to present an address of congratulation on his recent victory in Egypt. Mr. G. Hagopian was the principal spokesman of the deputation. Sir Garnet Wolseley expressed to the deputation the satisfaction it gave him to receive the representatives of a nation so worthily aspiring after freedom—a condition of peoples, wheresoever found, with which all Englishmen had the deepest sympathy—as the Armenians, to whom he looked to influence, and even to govern by intellectual and moral preponderance, more than one region of the East. They were fellow-Christians of our own, with whom he had ever had the greatest pleasure to be brought into contact, and the most capable of Oriental peoples. He especially emphasised this bond of religion between the Armenians and the people of the British isles, because he had been particularly struck with it on the occasion of his visit to the Armenian Church at Cairo.

MILITARY NEWS.

ON Thursday (9th November) Sir H. Fletcher asked the Secretary of State for War in the House of Commons if he would consider the advisability of reverting to the old system of appointing regimental Surgeons and Assistant-Surgeons to every regiment in Her Majesty's forces.

So numerous have been the applications from officers desirous of entering the service of the Khedive in the new Egyptian Army, that it would be impossible, a London paper says, for openings to be found for a quarter of those who have volunteered their services. A selection will, therefore, be made of those who possess special qualifications, the choice resting in all cases with Baker Pasha.

WESTERN INDIA RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE following scores were made at Coorla yesterday:—

MATCH IV.—200 and 300 yds.; seven shots at each; kneeling, sitting, or prone position:—

	200 yds.	500 yds.	added pts.	Total.
Sergt. J. Keess	33	33	1	67
Lce. Corpl. J. Fido	29	30	1	60
Vol. N. Warne	26	33	1	60
„ C. Major	33	25	1	59
Lieut. Whitehead	32	20	1	53
Vol. W. Stephens	29	20	1	50
„ E. Fido	25	12	1	38

MATCH V.—800 yds. Ten shots; any position:—

		added pts.	
Lieut. Whitehead	41	3	44
Vol. Major	35	3	38
Sergt. Keess	34	3	37
Lce. Corpl. J. Fido	34	3	37
Vol. E. Fido	33	3	36

MATCH VI.—900 yds. Ten shots; any position:—

Sergt. Keess	36	4	40
Lce. Corpl. J. Fido	32	4	36
Vol. Major	27	4	31
„ E. Fido	19	4	23

The weather was again awkward for the last two matches.

THE following scores were made at Akola:—

MATCH I.—200 yds.

Sergt. Thompson	20
Vol. Nicholetts	20
Capt. Higgins	23

MATCH II.—500 yds.

Lieut. Davies	28
Vol. Pettigrew	28
Sergt. Thampson	26

MATCH III.—600 & 700 yds

Vol. Nicholetts	53
Sergt. Thompson	45
Lieut. Davies	43

MATCH IV.—The Kolhapore Regent's Cup, 200 and 500 yds.

Sergt. Thompson	64
Vol. Nicholetts	58
Vol. Pettigrew	53

MATCH V.—The Governor's prize, 800 yds.

Vol. Nicholetts	37
Lieut. Davies	33
Sergt. Thompson	32

MATCH VI.—The Nizam's Prize, 900 yds.

Sergt. Thompson	35
Vol. Nicholetts	32
Vol. Pettigrew	32

MATCH VII.—The Ruttlam Prize, 600 & 600 yds

Vol. Nicholetts	61
Vol. Pettigrew	53
Sergt. Thompson	52

MATCH VIII.—The Gaekwar's Prize, 800 & 900 yds

Sergt. Thompson	50
Sergt. Instr. Jones	42
Vol. Pettigrew	42

MATCH IX.—800 & 900 yds.

Capt. Higgins	66
Lieut. Davies	66
Vol. Nicholetts	60

MATCH X.—The Viceroy's Prize, 1,000 yds.

Vol. Nicholetts	41
Sergt. Thompson	31
Lieut. Davies	29

AGGREGATES—CHAMPIONSHIP.

Vol. Nicholetts	426
Sergt. Thompson	402
Lieut. Davies	385

N. R. A. MEDAL.

Vol. Nicholetts	203
Sergt. Thompson	186
Lieut. Davies	175

N. I. R. A. MEDAL.

Sergt. Thompson	137
Vol. Nicholetts	122
Lieut. Davies	115

S. I. R. A. MEDAL.

Vol. Nicholetts	174
Sergt. Thompson	171
Lieut. Davies	149

H. R. A. MEDAL.

Sergt. Thompson	152
Vol. Nicholetts	151
Lieut. Davies	141

C. R. M. MEDAL.

Vol. Nicholetts	101
Lieut. Davies	96
Sergt. Thompson	79

SUGGESTIONS FOR AN INDIAN WIMBLEDON.

THE following correspondence has been placed at our disposal regarding the formation of an Indian Wimbledon:—

THE EDITOR, INDIAN VOLUNTEER GAZETTE.

DEAR SIR,—I send you a letter that I wrote from London to a Volunteer Adjutant in India, and his reply on the subject of starting an Indian Wimbledon at Delhi, or other central place, for the Volunteers of India. I shall feel obliged if you will do me the favour to publish these letters and invite discussion on the points raised.—Yours truly,

A VOLUNTEER CAPTAIN.

Here's the letter you require about an Indian Wimbledon. Your best plan I think is to send the matter it contains to the Editor, *Indian Volunteer Gazette*, in which paper one or two articles on the same subject have already appeared. When well agitated, argued over, and sifted, it might be brought before Government, in a form which they could at once decide on. I would not inculcate it amongst our officers as my experience is that such paper might get round in about 12 or 18 months with perhaps only one officer's suggestions on it. I think your idea a good one, but a most difficult one to start; you see we have our N. I. R. A., S. I. R. A., W. I. R. A., and other associations already, and these are hardly able to stand as it is.

The difficulty to contend with would be the time to be chosen for this camp, as there is no time hardly which could be sacrificed by a volunteer; witness the difficulties we have to contend with in our small camp of exercise. Still, as I say, send the subject to the papers, agitate, fruit may come. Get a general idea from all volunteers.

London, 23rd July.

My Dear Sir,—I have spent two pleasant days at Wimbledon and have learnt I think a few things that will I hope be useful in India. Why should the Volunteer in India not make an effort to get for a yearly meeting something like the English Wimbledon. There is no reason why it should not be successful, if once fairly started. I make the suggestion through you in the first instance and hope you will pass it on to the Volunteer Association for consideration. Opinions and discussion might be invited at once. There is this to be said against an Indian Wimbledon that the number of Volunteers in India is compared with England and Scotland comparatively insignificant, that the distances of the Volunteer centres are far apart from one another, that Indian Volunteers are poor compared with the majority who form the backbone of the Wimbledon meeting. All this may be very true, but I would not at the outset advocate a movement on the exact lines of Wimbledon. What I now suggest is—(1) that the Volunteer or Rifle Association, the directing body to correspond with the N.R.A. of England. (2) That a meeting of Volunteers, especially of those who go in for good shooting, be convened at Delhi, where there is plenty of open ground for Camps and Ranges—once a year, say the Xmas. week. (3) That each Corps be asked to contribute an annual sum out of capitation—if contrary to rule Government would sanction a special one, and that all volunteers, say from Calcutta or Allahabad to Peshawur, who are at all interested in shooting, be asked to pay a monthly or annual subscription for the meeting. Many gentlemen, non-volunteers, would, I have no doubt, subscribe. The vendors, with sum of sums of money as, in the opinion of counsel, may be probably or possibly recovered." The first of this series of amendments was put to the vote, and lost. Mr. Telang's proposition in favour of confirming the six months was then put and carried by a majority. Mr. Macfarlane then demanded a poll, which was taken on Monday week, and the result of it was declared yesterday to be as follows:—For the resolution, 924 votes against it, 171 votes; majority, 753. For the amendment No. 1, 171 votes; against it, 924 votes; majority against, 753 votes. For amendment No. 2, 171 votes; against it, 924 votes; majority against 753. For amendment No. 3, 84 votes; against it, 954 votes; majority against, 954 votes. The chairman declared Mr. Telang's resolution carried. The scrutineers were Mr. James Greenwood and Mr. Cooverjee Rustomjee Mody.

HIGH COURT.—DECEMBER 3.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice BAYLEY.)

TELEPHONE BRACKETS AND PRIVATE PROPERTY.

HAJEE SABOO SEEDICK AND OTHERS *vs.* THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER.

The rule *nisi* for injunction calling upon the defendant to show cause why he should not be restrained from fixing a bracket to the house of the plaintiffs in Don Tad-street, 1st Row, came on for further argument to-day.

Mr. Lang, instructed by Messrs. Tobin and Roughton, appeared for the plaintiffs; and the Hon'ble Mr. Inverarity, Advocate-General, for the defendant.

Mr. Lang, in arguing in support of the rule, said it was perfectly clear that the bracket proposed to be fixed to the house of the plaintiffs would cause serious inconvenience. The word "telephone" did not occur, while the word "telegraph," and the Municipal Commissioner had no right to put up telephone wires over private property for the benefit of the Oriental Telephone Company. There was a distinction between telegraph wires and telephone wires. The former were laid for public convenience and benefit, whereas the latter were for the convenience of a few subscribers and for the benefit of a private company. When the plaintiffs objected to the bracket being fixed to their house, they were sued in the Police Court, not by the Telephone Company, as should have been the case, but by the Municipal Commissioner. The persons who had got a licence from Government under section 4 of Act I. of 1876, for laying the wires were the Oriental Telephone Company, and not the Commissioner; therefore, the latter had no right to interfere in this matter. The plaintiffs' house was built upon native principle, and it was unable to bear the strain of a bracket with a number of wires attached to it. The constant noise, especially during heavy winds, would be extremely distressing to the inmates of the house, and might cause serious inconvenience to the sick. If the right of fixing the bracket were allowed to the company the plaintiffs would also suffer great inconvenience. when they wanted to rebuild or repair the house. The sections of the Act must not, in the slightest degree, be strained in order to give either the Municipal Commissioner or the Telephone Company rights which did not belong to them. The company sought to establish their claim over rights which could only be obtained by purchasing them, at a heavy price it may be, in the same way as the railway companies did. Mr. Lang, in conclusion, observed that he had shown sufficient grounds in favour of the rule being made absolute.

His lordship reserved judgment.

DECEMBER 4.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice WEST.)

MONJIBAI WIDOW *vs.* HEERJEEBHOY HORMUSJEE SHROFF AND ANOTHER.

MR. J. C. KAMA, solicitor, presented the following plaint in chambers, which charged the first defendant with fraud in respect of pecuniary transactions he had had with the plaintiff.

It appears from the plaint that the plaintiff's husband, Cursonjee Somchand, died in the month of May, 1873, leaving a considerable amount of money to which the plaintiff was entitled. After his death the management of the money was undertaken by Mohanlal Hargovandas, who, on behalf of the plaintiff, advanced loans to various persons on the security of immoveable property and shares. During the absence of Haridas from Bombay the management of the money was entrusted to Panachand Vadowjee and Indurjee Jadowjee, brothers of the plaintiff. In March, 1875, Panachand advanced to the first defendant, Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff, in the name of Hareedas Veerchund, a sum of Rs. 9,000 out of the money, belonging to the plaintiff, upon the understanding that a further sum of Rs. 6,000 should be advanced to the defendant, who should thereupon execute a mortgage of certain property belonging to him to secure the repayment of the sums, with interest. In May, 1875, Haridas returned to Bombay and advanced the further sum of Rs. 6,000. Accordingly on the 18th May, 1875, Heerjeebhoy, by an indenture of mortgage, conveyed to Haridas Premchand a piece of Foras freehold land with bungalows and erections thereon. About the 18th July, 1878, the defendant Heerjeebhoy paid a sum of Rs. 5,000 on account of the principal sum of Rs. 15,000, and the sum of Rs. 2,761 and odd in settlement of the amount due for interest up to the end of July, 1881. In August of the same year Haridas Veerchand executed a re-conveyance of the mortgaged property in favour of Heerjeebhoy, who, as had been previously arranged, gave a cheque for Rs. 10,000 on the Chartered Mercantile Bank, drawn by himself and the defendant Hormusjee Sorabjee Poonagar, and payable to Haridas Veerchand, who cashed it. Heerjeebhoy then executed, by arrangement, a promissory note and received again from Haridas the sum of Rs. 10,000. By the note the defendant promised to repay the money at the expiration of a year. The title-deeds relating to the property in the indenture of mortgage, together with the mortgage deed, were handed over as further security to the plaintiff, and were now in her possession; but Heerjeebhoy failed to hand over the deed of re-conveyance, and retained it in his possession on various pretexts, in order, as the plaintiff alleged, to carry out a fraud upon the plaintiff, as appeared to her from recent discoveries. By a indenture of settlement, dated the 26th April, 1880, and made between Heerjeebhoy of the one part and the defendants Heerjeebhoy, Sorabjee Nadirshaw, and Hormusjee Poonagar therein called trustees of the other part, Heerjeebhoy covenanted to redeem the premises comprised in the indenture of mortgage, on or before the 18th May, 1880, and the trustees were to hold them in trust for the re-vested defendant Heerjeebhoy and his successors. By an indenture dated 3rd November, 1881, which was endorsed on the deed of re-conveyance, and made between the defendant Heerjeebhoy of the one part and the defendants Sorabjee and Hormusjee of the other part, after reciting that the defendant Heerjeebhoy had caused the land and premises mentioned in the indenture of mortgage to be redeemed, and that the same had been re-conveyed to him, Heerjeebhoy conveyed the property to the two defendants to hold it on trust, as mentioned above. By an indenture, dated the 4th May, 1882, the first three defendants, with the consent of Heerjeebhoy Hormusjee Shroff and his wife, in consideration of the sum of Rs. 16,000, alleged to have been paid by the fourth defendant, Byramjee Nowrojee, granted to him the property comprised in the indenture of mortgage. Byramjee Nowrojee was the medical attendant of Heerjeebhoy, and was intimately acquainted with him; and the plaintiff believed that no consideration was really paid by him for the property in question, and that he was merely a trustee. The plaintiff said that unless prevented by the order and injunction of the court, there was reason to fear that the defendant Byramjee Nowrojee might sell or encumber the property, to the injury of the plaintiff's rights. The plaintiff further said that were the sum of Rs. 16,000 paid by Byramjee for the property, he was bound to make proper inquiries before doing so. The plaintiff submitted that, under the circumstances, she was entitled to an equitable lien or mortgage upon the premises comprised in the title-deeds for the sum of Rs. 10,000, and interest at six per cent. per annum from 5th August, 1882; that she was entitled to have a first charge upon the property; and that the agreement on the part of the first defendant to execute a formal mortgage of the same in her favour ought to be specifically performed by him. The plaintiff also alleged that when Heerjeebhoy executed the indenture of settlement he was deeply involved in debt and litigation, and was insolvent circumstances, and was carrying on a hazardous business. The plaintiff submitted that the indenture of settlement ought to be declared fraudulent and void as against her.

The plaint was accepted as a long cause.

IN THE MATTER OF THE BROACH COTTON GINNING AND PRESSING COMPANY.

MR. FARRAN, instructed by Messrs. Smith and Frere, for Mr. Goculdas Jugmohundas, the voluntary liquidator of the company, moved that the court may exercise the power vested in it by section 82 of the new Act and determine why Mr. Ahmedbhoy Hubibbhoy should not be ordered to pay Rs. 1,500, with interest, to the liquidator of the company. The learned counsel said he moved on the affidavit of Mr. Goculdas Jugmohundas, who stated that Mr. Ahmedbhoy was a director of the company from 1878 to 1881, and that in August, 1880, he took part in the sale of one of the compan'sy presses at Broach to Hassum Visram Lalljee for Rs. 8,525. The sale was sanctioned at a meeting of directors, at which only Mr. Ahmedbhoy and Mr. Charles Douglas were present. Although the press was nominally sold to Hassam Visram Lalljee, the real purchaser was Mr. Ahmedbhoy, who shortly afterwards sold the press at a profit of Rs. 1,500 to Rustomjee Hormusjee Vakharia. The real character of the transaction was not disclosed to Mr. Charles Douglas or the other directors, or they would not have accorded their sanction to the sale. The learned counsel thought that this was a matter which would be more quickly dealt with by the rule *nisi* he applied for than by a suit.

The learned judge ordered that a rule *nisi* be issued, calling Ahmedbhoy Hubibbhoy to show cause why the court should not exercise the power vested in it by section 82 of the new Act, by determining the question between Goculdas Jugmohundas and Ahmedbhoy Hubibbhoy, and why a direction should not be given as to the manner in which the inquiry should be conducted.

A CHANGE OF RECEIVER.

JAFFERBHOY GOOLAM HOOSEIN AND ANOTHER *vs.* WALAI AND OTHERS.

THE Hon'ble Mr. Budrodeen instructed by Messrs. Macfarlane and Edgelow, for the plaintiffs, moved for an order appointing Mr. C. A. Turner receiver in the suit in the place of Mr. W. Adams, who was going to Australia on leave of absence. Mr. Lang, for some of the defendants, consented. One defendant, however, being in Calcutta, his lordship directed that notice should be given him; that Mr. Turner be appointed receiver for one month on the same terms as Mr. Adams, and he continued receiver if no valid objection is shown to the contrary by the absent defendant.

THE DISPUTE BETWEEN NEAR RELATIONS.

DORABJEE HORMUSJEE SHROFF *vs.* DOSIBAI AND ANOTHER.

MR. FARRAN, instructed by Messrs. Payne and Gilbert, for the defendants, moved for a review of the judgment given by his lordship in this case on the 30th September last.

The judge.—This appears to be a reviewing family. I have had a similar application from another member of the family.

Mr. Farran said the application was based on the discovery of fresh evidence. The suit was brought to recover Rs. 3,000 on a promissory note; and his lordship dismissed the suit, directing each party to bear his and their own costs. The last was the part of the decree the defendants objected to. Dosibai said in her affidavit that the evidence given by Bapujee Dhunjeebhoy, when in the witness-box, with reference to certain particulars of the loan of Rs. 2,000 she had obtained from Alwabai, widow, was false, and that she was quite taken by surprise at it. Notwithstanding a diligent search among her papers for a writing which would show the falsity of Bapujee's evidence on the point, she had been unable to find the writing; but within the last few days she had found it, together with a composition deed relating to her husband's debts. Mr. Farran said he would show his client had *bonâ fides* with reference to that transaction of Rs. 2,000.

The judge said there was no appeal on costs, and there could therefore be no review. His lordship did not direct the defendants to pay their own costs merely with reference to Bapujee Dhunjeebhoy and what had been stated with regard to the transaction regarding the Rs. 2,000. But his lordship made the order partly because they brought forward the same party, and whose approaches are not shrunk through a suspicion that the whole man, all his opinions, his emotions and his aims are not made manifest in his discourse. A man's doctrine is less influential than his stamp of character, and this impresses itself the more forcibly as he is more free in his self-development and in the speech that gives token of his convictions and causes others to share them.

The question is put of whether religious neutrality requires the withdrawl of the Government from the direct management of colleges and schools. There is the form of the question. Again, in some of the others a fallacious ambiguity. "Religious neutrality" may mean indifference in supporting instruction with and without religious dogma. It may also mean impartiality amongst the several kinds of religious teaching as competing one with another. In the latter sense the Government ought to be impartial or in other words to give a "strict interpretation to the principle of religious neutrality." Where in its own schools no religious dogma is taught, the principle cannot require its withdrawal from them. In the former sense the Government cannot adopt "religious neutrality" without unfairness, and it would be hard if to support the teaching of dogma in as many cases as it refused to support it. It has no business to support dogmatic teaching at all, and it infringes no sound principle, no "religious neutrality" in any sensible sense, in giving secular instruction apart from any dogmatic system. If this provision, made by the Government, withdraws pupils from the schools of the religious bodies, such schools no doubt suffer by the competition, but this involves no breach of "religious neutrality." In so far as they teach religion there is no competition at all; in so far as they insist on giving religious teaching as an accompaniment of secular instruction there would be an obvious want of neutrality in asking native boys to the suggested Hobson's choice. It is consistent with this that for a definite result in purely secular teaching, when pupils are not driven to either one or the other class of schools, the Government should give an equal reward to a Christian school and to a Hindu school, and in this aspect of it the principle of religious neutrality is, I believe, fairly and honestly given effect to.

I remarked a tendency to compare the self-complacency of the pupils of the Government institutions. This is in truth but one phase of a problem which our whole system of education raised and which the Government cannot hope to shelter from its knowledge and its grasp. Our system like our literature is secular, inquisitive, void of reverence. Everything is brought to the test of discussion. Of the evils of this one is obvious enough; but the indigenous system means effeteness and stagnation, while the propagandist system really involves a deeper-seated revolution and graver moral dangers than perhaps any other. I fully grant that, where the spirit of Christianity has been really imbibed, a life may be the result more beautiful in its meekness, courage and self-devotion than could ever be framed upon the merely pagan model. The noble examples furnished by so many centuries, so natural, so spontaneous and so sublime, are taken to heart and in some faint way reproduced as they can only be under the influence of fervent faith. But how is it as to the mass who do not change their profession but quietly drink in its contents? It is a matter of common observation that the generality of people placed in a new country amongst new associations sink in a marked degree in morality. The result occurs least amongst the most cultivated, as these are the men of nearly of one brotherhood everywhere, while the very manners of the uncultivated man show at once how incapable he is of self-government when released from the old bond of custom. Now in India propagandist teaching, even secular teaching in a propagandist spirit, for which in itself I have no hard word or thought, produces in no small degree the same effect as emigration to another country. The old beliefs are shaken and without that the new ones do not take their place. The whole mass of moral and religious associations interwoven with the abandoned creed becomes discredited; all propositions seem open to question; the social tie of family affection and neighbourly kindness is loosened if not broken. There needs a refounding of the broken idol, but the glow of a deep conviction is wanting. The young man's principles moulded by tradition into a kind of organism have become mere fragments; his life becomes fragmentary too, without definite purpose, without any pervading and harmonizing influence. All is hesitation, limpness, and half-resolven until the moral being, unless saved by the occupations and rough philosophy of active life, settles down into some form of feeble selfishness, or querulous dissatisfaction with things in general.

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I think that as matters stand at present more money ought to be spent on high education in the Bombay Presidency. The staff for secondary teaching is miserably undermanned and underpaid. A well filled Education Board would propably soon make this apparent to the Government. As it is, professions are made which cannot practically be fulfilled, and students are too often subjected to the depraying effect of several things learned imperfectly instead of one or two learned thoroughly well. I am not desirous, on the present terms, to limit students to what is to be learnable in one—that they need not depend upon Government for everything to advance their interests. They begin to appreciate the immense value and resources of self-help, and I am bound to say that it is the rarest instance, in which you could question the devoted loyalty of the people of the country to the sovereign whose sway they acknowledge, and under whom they enjoy both peace and order. If life is given, I may hope to see the fuller growth of this development; and I trust I may say without pretension that it will be my earnest effort to encourage and promote it. (Applause.)

The series of toasts was followed by a song, and Mr. Walker gave in excellent style "Prince Charlie"

Mr. Keswick, who was enthusiastically received, next gave "The Army, Navy, and Reserve Forces."

The pipers played the "Garb of old Gaul" while the toast was drunk with much cheering.

Colonel Hole said.—Mr. Keswick alluded to the pillar of strength which the Highland Brigade proved in Egypt; but I say that all Scotch regiments are pillars of strength to the English nation. (Cheers.) Speaking as an Englishman, I say I am proud to be associated at all times with Scotchmen.

Captain Bourdillon said.—Scotchmen never yet were wanting in patriotism; Scotchmen never yet failed in common sense; Scotchmen never yet failed in doing well what they really tried—and yet, gentlemen, and yet I should like to state one or two facts to you. A glance down this room shows that there are many stalwart Scotchmen in Calcutta who are not Volunteers. The Volunteers in this great city ought to be 1,000 strong, and they are only 600; and many of them are not Scotchmen. (Laughter.) You have received this toast with great effusion, and drank it with much cordiality. I ask you now to give effect to your hearty reception. I will not ask you all to join the company which I have the honour to command, but I would like to see you all belong to the Volunteers. If you cannot join the Mounted Company, join the Calcutta Volunteers; and in doing so you will find you are discharging a duty which is not less a duty because it is a pleasure, and you will give strength and stability to what, believe me, is one of the greatest movements of the day at home and which is none the less important in India because it is discharged in a country where every man should know how to handle a rifle, and to be familiar with the elements of a soldier's duty. (Applause.)

Mr. Nicholl then gave the company a song in his best style the March of the Cameron men.

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style by Messrs. McNair, Walker, Nicol and Ormiston.

The Chairman here announced that he had just received a telegram from their brither Scots in Kurrachee, like themselves celebrating the occasion by a dinner, wishing the Scotchmen of Calcutta a pleasant evening.

From Chairman, St. Andrew's Dinner, Sind Club, to Chairman, St. Adrew's Dinner, Calcutta.—Congratulations and pleasant evening.

The following reply was at once sent off :—

From Chairman, St. Andrew's Dinner, Calcutta, to Chairman, St. Andrew's Dinner, Kurrachee.—Scotchmen here warmly appreciate telegram and cordially respond.

The next toast was the "Land o'Cakes," proposed by Colonel Kinloch.

Such a sentiment amid the strains of "Auld Lang Syne" was received with a fervour which may possibly be imagined, but cannot be described. Mr. Nicol next sang "Annie Lawrie" in a style that brought him an encore.

"Our Guests" then followed and the chairman gave it.

The Scotchmen drank to the toast with all the ardour of that hospitable race, the pipers the while breaking out with "Willie brewed a pack o'maut."

Archdeacon Baly replied to the toast.

Mr. Keswick here rising said that he had to propose a toast which he thought would be acceptable. There was another Scotchman who had been present here, whenever in Calcutta, for upwards of 20 years, and he had not been able to attend that evening. He, however, had, as an earnest of his good wishes, had cooked for them a Haggis. In fact that gentleman had taught a Frenchman to cook a Haggis. They all hoped that that knowledge would not extend, for if the natives of France began to live on Haggis, he did not know what the result might be in a war between France and Great Britain 50 years hence. It was like teaching the natives of this country to sup porridge. He thought it would be many years before any Frenchman would be able to dress Haggis.

With this toast he coupled the name of Mr. R. Mitchell.

The toast was drunk with repeated cheers, and Mr. Mitchell briefly replied.

Although the formal list of toasts has been completed, the Chairman again rose, and expressed the obligation of the company to Mr. McPhun, upon whom, as Honorary Secretary, had fallen all the burden of organizing the dinner. Mr. McPhun's health was drunk with "musical honours." Mr. McPhun then rose and expressed his thanks for the great honour done him.

Mr. Petrie then proposed the health of the Chairman; and the toast was received with much cheering, and with Highland honours. Mr. Westland briefly returned his thanks.

The Lieutenant-Governor then rose and took his departure. The company, following His Honor's example, gradually dispersed, and thus at about half-past one the "St. Andrews' Dinner" of 1882 was brought to a happy conclusion.—*Condensed; from the Englishman.*

BENGAL.

THE COLLECTOR OF CALCUTTA.—On the recommendation of the Divisional Commissioner, and at the instance of the Board of Revenue, the Government of Bengal, we hear, has sanctioned an extra allowance of Rs. 250 per mensem to Mr. G. M. Goodricke, the Collector of Calcutta, in addition to the substantive pay of his office, for his additional duties in connection with the license tax. This allowance he will continue to draw as long as the imperial License Tax Act remains in force.—*Indian Daily News.*

MR. RIVERS THOMPSON AND LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.—From the replies given by Mr. Rivers Thompson to the various addresses presented to him both on his recent tour and also during his tour in the Eastern Districts during the rains, it is quite clear that Local Self-Government under his rule will, if he can carry out the policy he has laid down, be something more than a mere pageant got up for the glorification of the various orators who are scattered broad cast throughout Bengal, and who have been the head and front of the so-called popular assemblies which is nearly every town in Bengal have met together to thank Government for a gift which most municipalities have possessed for the last seven years without seemingly recognizing the fact—the gift of being able to elect their committees had they been so inclined. All the speeches of the Lieutenant Governor have for their key note, that work, and work of no small magnitude, will be expected from those who are anxious for independence.—*Englishman.*

N.-W. PROVINCES, OUDH, AND PUNJAB.

DONATION BY THE AMIR-I-KABIR.—The Nawab Shams-ul-umara Amir-i-Kabir Bahadur Khurshed Jah, one of the leading nobles of Haiderabad, and married to a sister of the present Nizam, has given Rs. 1,000 to be spent in building a musjid and repairing seven tombs at Chaoli Mashaikh, in the Multan District, the birth place of the Saint of Pak Patan—Farid Shakar Ganj. The Nawab is at present on a tour in the Punjab and Sind.

A TRAIN RUNNING OVER A BUFFALO.—Some days ago a serious accident occurred which might have resulted in loss of life. A train was running at night on the Benares line; and while nearing a station, a buffalo which happen to be grazing near the line tried to run across, and was run over. A portion of its body fell across the rail, when the engine with nine or ten wagons where thrown off the line. The driver, who jumped off his engine, received some injuries. Luckily it was a goods and not a passenger train.—*Lucknow Express.*

MURDERS AT PESHAWAR.—In reviewing the criminal report for 1881, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor noted, with satisfaction, a decrease in the number of murders in the Peshawur Division. There were 50 murders during the year, which was four less than the number reported the year before. In no less than twenty cases, the cause is set down as a dispute about a woman; twelve were the result of "domestic and other quarrels;" while five arose from disputes about land. In thirteen cases, the weapon used was a firearm of some kind. The Commissioner of the Division reports that he "cannot speak highly of the condition or the *morale* of the Peshawur police;" and the Deputy Commissioner believes that many of them not only consort with and encourage gamblers, but actually themselves organize gambling.—*Civil and Military Gazette.*

DISMANTLING OF THE MACHI BHAWAN FORT.—We understand that the dismantling of the Machi Bhawan Fort at Lucknow has practically been decided upon, the military authorities having unanimously decided that the Fort is rather an encumbrance than otherwise. At present it contains a small number of guns, but as these are mostly of small calibre they would not be of any great use in an emergency. The local Government are, we believe, at one with the Government of India in this matter of dismantling Machi Bhawn, more particularly as Imambarra can then be given up to the Mahomedans who hold it in great veneration. It is said to be the largest arched room in the world. Pelle's guns, which had been kept in the fort since the Mutiny, were sent down to the Allahabad Arsenal about two months ago. Two companies constitute the present garrison, and these will be released for other duties when the fortified works have been levelled to the ground. We hope that the proposed fortifications of Lucknow cantonments will now be rapidly pushed forward, particularly in the direction of the Railway Station which, strangely enough, is quite defenceless.—*Civil and Military Gazette.*

BURMAH.

A TELEGRAM from Rangoon, Dec. 1, to the *Indian Daily News* states :—Eighteen of the dacoits concerned in the raids near Minhla have been crucified on the river bank at Minhla. Mugway, Yeanangyoung, Sillaymyo, and Peguan, the malefactors, are still subjected to barbarous cruelty.

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